Docket No.: 1954-413

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

In re Application of John J. ROSSI et al.

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Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner dated 31 January 2007 rejecting the following claims: 1-6 and 11-14

The fee for this Notice of Appeal is \$250.00

An extension of time is requested for three months. The required fee for this extension of time is \$510.00.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the required fees to Deposit Account No. 02-2135.

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Enclosure: Request for Extension of Time